



How can you Help?

Any person in the community of Presidio can support our ECHS by helping with fundraising, for example attending the annual Haunted House, or giving donations to the se clubs. Volunteering with clubs like NHS or Student Council. Be part of the future of these students, a part of the family that is the ECHS. To be a part of the ECHS committee to make decisions. In addition providing internship opportunities at your job will be greatly appreciated.



For more Information

Presidio is a small town with limited resources and a deserted area. Therefore providing the students with an education is essential. For more information you can contact

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William Soza Early College High School

The Community

A community is based on people supporting each other. Ours is no different





Why is it Important?

William Soza Early College High School is based on giving an opportunity for students to have a greater chance of getting into a university and affording it. The principle behind an early college high school is for a student to graduate with a high school diploma and over 60 college credit hours. Furthermore not only the students and the parents, benefit from having students attend an early college high school, the community also benefits from this high school.

The community benefits, because it gives an opportunity to the students to receive an education, therefore coming back and giving back to the community. For example, Presidio does not have a local hospital or

doctor, therefore a student wanting to get into a major of medicine, can come back and give their services to their hometown.

Another way the community can help these students is by giving them internships, in order for the students to gain greater experience in their preferred career field. For instance getting an internship in the school's nurse's office for medical students or an internship with the town's attorney for students wanting to major in law.

This program is primarily for the students, but benefits the entire community.

Q&A

What are the benefits?

- It gives students over 60 college credit hours all gratis. Students do not pay for the classes, books, or additional resources. The ECHS program also gives students a sense of how college life and rigor will be. Students are expected to manage their time, communicate with professors, and work collaboratively with others.

How much does a parent save?

- For attending an early college high school, savings can be from a couple thousand dollars to nearly \$40,000, dependent upon how many courses are taken.